

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TAMPA DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No. 8:03-CR-77-T-30TBM

v.

SAMI AMIN AL-ARIAN, et al.,

Defendants.

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**MOTION TO ALLOW CONTACT VISITS FOR DR. AL-ARIAN
AND HIS FAMILY**

COMES NOW, the Accused, SAMI AMIN AL-ARIAN, by and through his undersigned counsel, and moves this Honorable Court for the entry of an Order allowing DR. AL-ARIAN to visit with his family, including his wife, Nahla Al-Arian, their five children, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Inam Hammouda, in a contact setting at Coleman Federal Prison. As grounds for the foregoing, counsel submits the following:

1. Dr. Al-Arian is prohibited from any contact visits with his family members or any one else, except pursuant to Court Order.
2. Dr. Al-Arian has been incarcerated for the last twenty-one (21) months, eighteen (18) of them in the Special Housing Unit at USP Coleman in Coleman, Florida, which will not allow any contact visits for the Accused, except with his attorneys of record.
3. Dr. Al-Arian's five children, two of whom live out of state, and his mother-in-law are all gathering in Florida for the upcoming Thanksgiving holidays in an effort to visit with the Accused.

4. The Accused respectfully requests Wednesday, November 24, 2004, from 11:00a.m. to 3:00 p.m. as the time for Dr. Al-Arian to have a contact visit with his family.

WHEREFORE, the Accused moves this Honorable Court for the entry of an Order allowing him a contact visit with his family on Wednesday, November 24, 2004.

Dated: 18 November, 2004

Respectfully submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 18th day of November, 2004, a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished, by CM/ECF, to Walter Furr, Assistant United States Attorney; Terry Zitek, Assistant United States Attorney; Kevin Beck, Assistant Federal Public Defender, M. Allison Guagliardo, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel for Hatim Fariz; Bruce Howie, Counsel for Ghassan Ballut, and to Stephen N. Bernstein, P.O. Box 1642, Gainesville, Florida 32602, counsel for Sameeh Hammoudeh.

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